

State of Wisconsin
Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

NOTICE OF HEARING

Local Agents and Regulation

The Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (Department) announces that it will hold a public hearing on a proposed Local Agents and Regulation, ch. ATCP 74.

The Department will hold four public hearings at the time and place shown below.

Hearing Dates, Times, and Locations:

Tuesday, January 17, 2017 – 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Room 106 (Board Room), Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection
2811 Agriculture Drive
Madison, Wisconsin 53718

Wednesday, January 18, 2017 – 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Portage County Court House
1516 Church Street
Conf. Room D
Stevens Point, Wisconsin 54481

Tuesday, January 31, 2017 – 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Wisconsin State Office Building, Room 129
718 West Clairemont Avenue
Eau Claire, Wisconsin 54701

Wednesday, February 1, 2017 – 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Lake Michigan Room
DNR Service Center
2984 Shawano Avenue
Green Bay, Wisconsin 54313

The Department invites the public to attend the hearing and comment on the proposed rule. The Department is particularly interested in obtaining comments about the proposed documentation of agent program costs, which is to be provided by local agent programs to the Department. Following the public hearing, the hearing record will remain open until Friday, February 3, 2017,

for additional written public comments. Comments may be sent to the Division of Food and Recreational Safety at the address below, by email to Peter.Haase@wisconsin.gov, or to <http://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/comment>.

You can obtain a free copy of this hearing draft rule and related documents including the economic impact analysis by contacting the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, Division of Food and Recreational Safety, 2811 Agriculture Drive, P.O. Box 8911, Madison, Wisconsin 53708. You can also obtain a copy by calling Peter Haase at (608) 224-4711 or by emailing Peter.Haase@wisconsin.gov. Copies will also be available at the hearing. To view the hearing draft rule online, go to: <http://adminrules.wisconsin.gov>.

Comments or concerns relating to small businesses may also be addressed to Department's small business regulatory coordinator Keeley Moll at the address above, by email to Keeley.Moll@wisconsin.gov, or by telephone at (608) 224-5039.

Hearing impaired or non-English speaking persons may request an interpreter for this hearing. Please make reservations for a hearing interpreter by January 2, 2017 by writing to Peter Haase, Division of Food Safety and Recreational Safety, P.O. Box 8911, Madison, Wisconsin 53708-8911, by emailing Peter.Haase@wisconsin.gov, or telephoning (608) 224-4711. Alternatively, you may contact the Department TDD at (608) 224-5058. The hearing facility is handicap accessible.

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Dated this _____ day of _____, 2016.

STATE OF WISCONSIN,
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
TRADE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

By _____

Ben Brancel, Secretary